



# Makin' Hist<sup>ory</sup>

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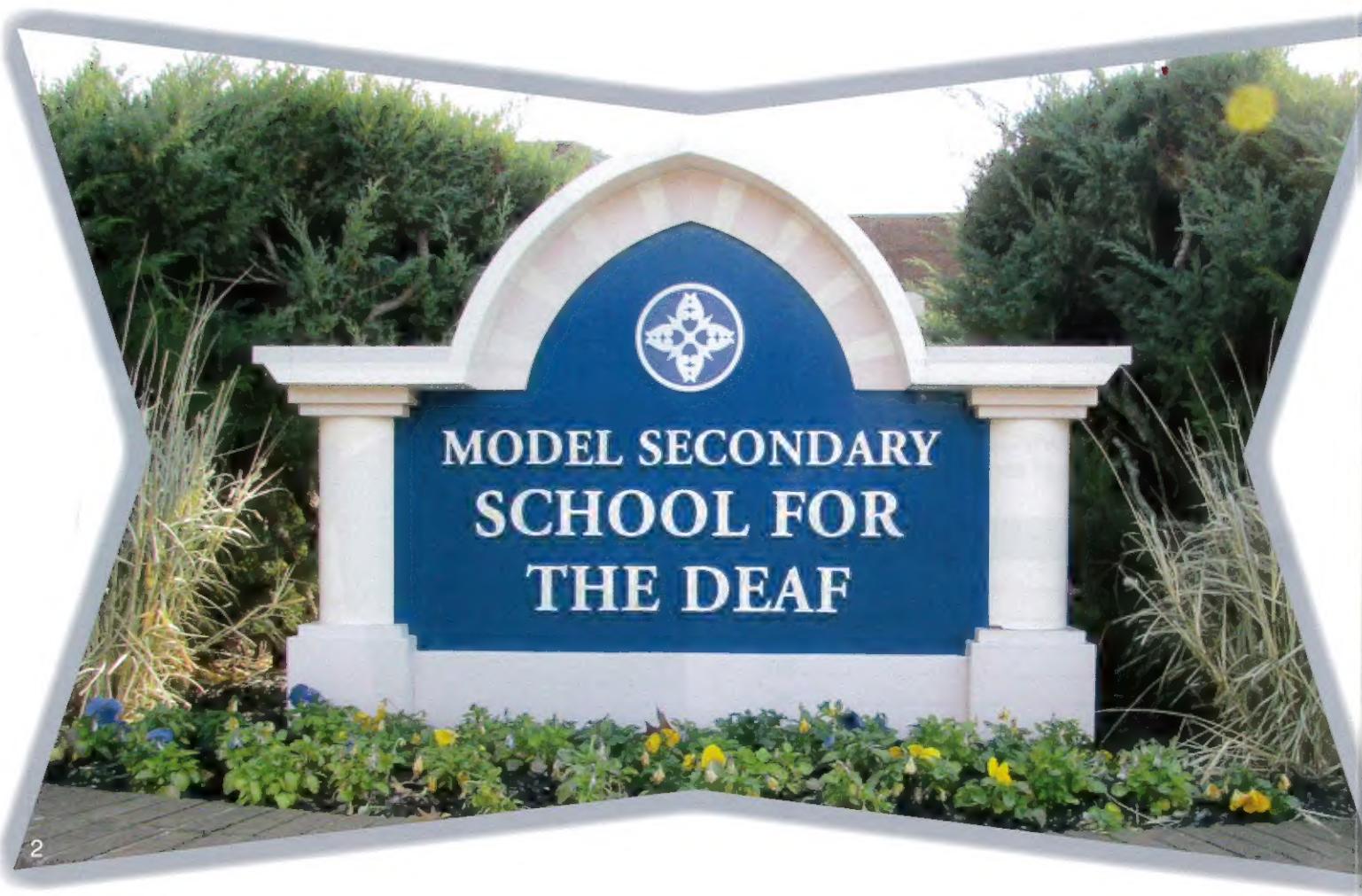
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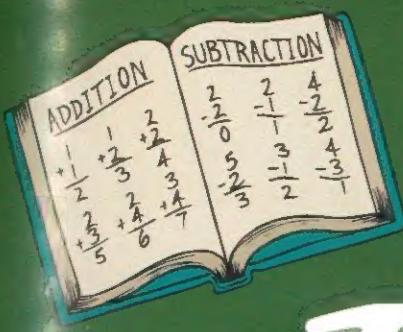


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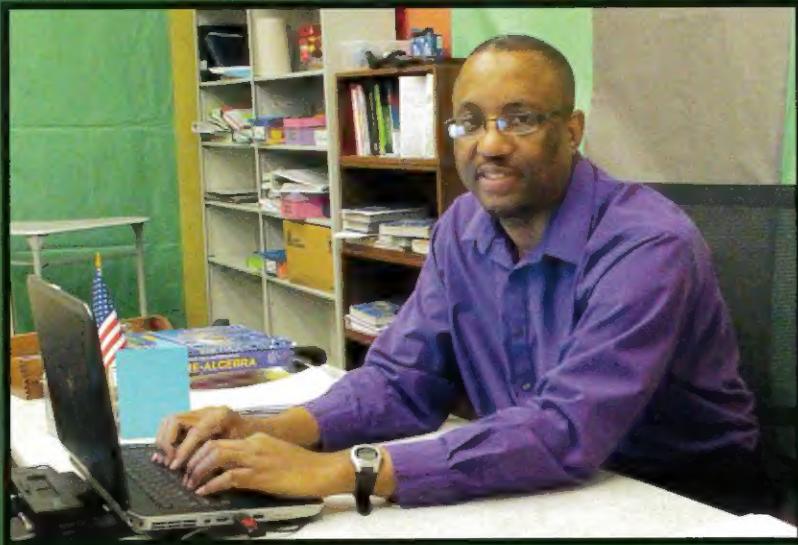
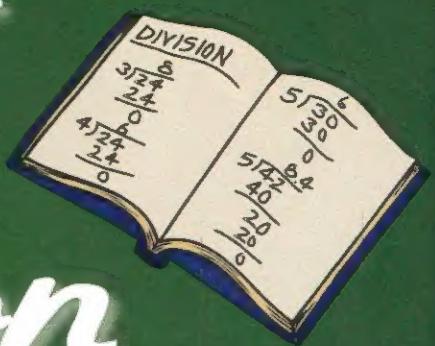
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# Welcome to **MSSD**

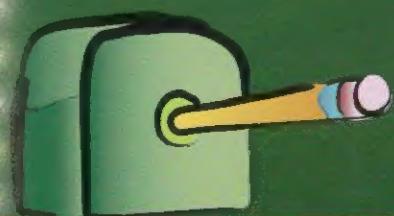




# Robert Parkinson



*The Class of 2015 dedicates this yearbook  
to Robert Parkinson. You are a wonderful math  
teacher! We want to show our appreciation for  
your open-minded approach and understanding  
of what we are going through on a daily basis  
as a teenager.*



## Justyce Abbott



Hometown: **Capitol Heights, Maryland**  
Favorite Memories: Playing with kids and having fun!



## Kassandra Aveiga

Hometown: **Long Island, New York**  
Favorite Memories: I went to Puerto Rico with my friend, and I will never forget that.  
Favorite saying/quotes: "Rise, never sink."  
Sports: **Volleyball (3) Soccer (2) Dance (1) Track & Field (2)**



## Dulce Avina-Ochoa

Hometown: **Manchester, New Hampshire**  
Favorite saying/quotes: "I love the stars because they can't say anything, I love the stars because they do not judge anyone."



## Kelli Jane Barnes

Hometown: **Hope Mills, North Carolina**  
Favorite Memories: Ordering Yum's and eating them with my friends. Call Yum's, 202-546-5155!  
Random Facts: I don't live on a farm, I fall asleep anywhere any time easily and I love cows!  
Organization: **SBG (1)**  
Sports: **Volleyball (4) Basketball (4) Softball (2)**



## Ju'wan Blackwell

Hometown: Hyattsville, Maryland  
Sports: Football (1) Wrestling (2) Rugby (2)  
Others: Fall Play (1) Dance (1) Play Crew (2)



## Heather Bodine

Hometown: Mobile, Alabama  
Favorite Memories: When I was 15 years old, I became an aunt and I love having my nephew in my life.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Don't let anybody change you, stay who you are!"

Random Facts: I love to eat raw cookie dough. I have many shoes but don't wear all of them.

Organizations: SBG (2) Jr. NAD (2)

Sports: Volleyball (3) Basketball (3) Softball (4)



## Michaela Borstel

Hometown: Marshfield, Massachusetts  
Favorite Memories: My first year playing soccer, my team won our homecoming game. It was the best game I've ever played in my soccer career.

Random Facts: I can touch my nose with my tongue. MSSD is my first residential school.

Organizations: Class Treasurer (1) Peer Advisor (1)

Sports: Soccer (2) Basketball (1)



## Diamante Brooks

Hometown: Washington, DC  
Favorite Memories: My best friend, Shannon came to my house and played with me.

Favorite saying/quotes: "I believe being friendly is worth it."

Random Facts: I like being silly and I like to support my friends and others.



## Juanita Brown



Hometown: **Waldorf, Maryland**

Favorite Memories: **Spending time with the Seniors at 2014 Winter Dance.**

Favorite saying/quotes: **"I don't have time for DRAMA!"**

Random Facts: **I LOVE to dress up whenever I can!**

Others: **Winter Dance**



## Gabriela Cevallos

Hometown: **Newark, New Jersey**

Favorite Memories: **On my birthday, my friend forgot to bring his car keys, so we couldn't go out and celebrate!**

Favorite saying/quotes: **"You never know how STRONG you are until being STRONG is the only choice you have." Unknown**

Random Facts: **I like to sleep facing the wall and to be in style when going out.**

Organizations: **Eagle Zone, Prom Committee**

Others: **Fall Play (3) Winter Dance (2)**



## Jackelin Choque

Hometown: **Washington, D. C.**

Organizations: **Fall Play and Winter Dance**

Sports: **Soccer and Track & Field**



## Manuel Cortez

Hometown: **New York City, New York**

Favorite Memories: **I went to a summer camp during middle school.**

Favorite saying/quotes: **"You are so much stronger than you think."**

Random Facts: **I have ADHD.**

**I am crazy over bananas.**

Sports: **Football (1) Soccer (1) Wrestling (3)  
Track & Field (2) Rugby (1)**

Others: **Fall Play (1) Spring Play (1)**

## Dax Courtright

Hometown: Little Rock, Arkansas

Favorite Memories: Spending time with friends and families

Favorite saying/quotes: "Seriously?" and "Stay Positive."

Random Facts: I have always wanted to live in Tokyo, Japan and to explore the world.



## Johanna Cruz

Hometown: Washington, DC

Favorite Memories: When I came in MSSD, I was a freshman, it was my first year and I was a rookie, now I'm here for my fourth year.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Every darkness followed by brightness, that's life. Live it and never give up."

Random Facts: I hate the color pink, I love summertime, and I hate my curly hair.

Sports: Soccer (4)

Others: Winter Dance (4)



## Matthew Denis

Hometown: New Hampshire

Favorite Memories: I took the character of Santa Claus when I was in my third grade school play.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Keep yourself flying and don't go down."

Random Facts: I am hardcore fan of Game of Thrones. I always had a rat tail since I was born.

Organizations: SBG Diversity Club (1) and Botball (1)

Sports: Wrestling (3) Baseball (2)



## Rebecca Dorzback

Hometown: New York City, New York

Favorite Memories: When my cousin Brianne was born, moving to boarding school, and making Spaetzle with my grandma.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Goodbye doesn't always mean you're leaving."

Random Facts: I am breathing. I have two names. I just started learning ASL a year ago.

Organizations: GSA (4)

Sports: Soccer (2) Softball (1)



## Ariana Eldred



Hometown: Elkhorn, Wisconsin

Favorite Memories: I always play the Naruto game on weekdays and I'm practically the only girl who wins most championships for the tournament.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Oh, I accidentally had cupcakes on my eyes."

Random Facts: I have a crooked smile. I once watched Netflix for almost 24/7.

Sports: Volleyball (4) Basketball (4) Softball (3)  
Track & Field (1)



## Megan Fichtner

Hometown: Elmhurst, Illinois

Favorite Memories: Playing in the Eagle Zone and exploring the D.C. area.

Random Facts: I'm a strong Chicago sports person and I love to travel around a lot.

Sports: Softball Manager (2)



## Katelyn Graves

Hometown: Harrison, Tennessee

Favorite Memories: Hanging out with my friends in MSSD, and that makes me happy.

Favorite saying/quotes: "We keep moving forward, opening new doors, and doing new things, because we're curious and curiosity keeps leading us down new paths." -Walt Disney

Random Facts: I went to the Disney World twice. I play the old classic video games for Playstation 2.

Others: Fall Play (4)



## LeBraun Harris

Hometown: Georgia

Favorite Memories: I wish we could go back in time to be kids again.

Favorite saying/quotes: "You are my boys."

Random Facts: I love making new friends, and I love my family and new shoes.

Sports: Football (3) Basketball (1)

## Brandon Holst



**Hometown:** Boiling Springs, South Carolina  
**Favorite saying/quotes:** "Find a place inside where there's joy, and joy will burn out the pain."  
-Joseph Campbell

**Organizations:** Jr. NAD (1)  
**Vice President for the Class of 2015 (1)**  
**Sports:** Football (1) Wrestling (4) Baseball (1)  
**Others:** Fall Play (1) Spring Play (2)

## Markea Howard



**Hometown:** Bronx, New York  
**Favorite Memories:** Too many good memories in the dorm, but I can't explain all of it.

**Favorite saying/quotes:** "Everything will be alright." and "Do I, like, care about that?"

**Random Facts:** I tend to use sarcasm with humor. I can't live without my headphones, even I sleep with it.

**Organization:** SBG (1)  
**Sports:** Volleyball (1) Softball (1)  
**Others:** Fall Play (3) Winter Dance (3)

## Tristan Hower



**Hometown:** Rochester, New York  
**Favorite Memories:** The Willigan Westling Champions, my freshman year at MSSD, and the Ballard North 3rd floor senior wing pranks!

**Favorite saying/quotes:** "Don't tell me what I can't do!" -John Locke

**Random Facts:** I promised myself that I will be successful in the future. I don't care about anyone except my family, few friends and my lovely girlfriend.

**Sports:** Football (4) Wrestling (4) Baseball (4)

## Josselin Hubert-Garcia



**Hometown:** Herndon, Virginia  
**Favorite Memories:** I loved to see my soccer team smiling and laughing when we won a game at Homecoming last year where I scored goals. It was an amazing and I would never forget that day!

**Favorite saying/quotes:** "Si se puede!" (I can do it!)

**Random Facts:** I was born in Honduras, Central America. I laugh at everything even when it is not funny.

**Sports:** Soccer (2)  
**Others:** Winter Dance (1)

## Chang Jun Hwang



Hometown: Cheong- Ju Si, South Korea

Favorite Memories: Being here at MSSD since I transferred here in January 2012 from South Korea.

Favorite saying/quotes: All quotes that inspire my heart.

Random Facts: I received a tennis training to become a professional player.

Organizations: SBG, Eagle Zone, Jr. NAD

Sports: Football (1) Baseball (3)

Others: Winter Dance (2)



## Antonio Jackson

Hometown: Atlanta, Georgia

Favorite Memories: Basketball IM Championship.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Atlanta is the BEST!"

Random Facts: I like LeBron James. I love Atlanta. I love to play basketball.

Sports: Basketball (4)

Others: Fall Play (4) Winter Dance (4)



## Sonya Jillella

Hometown: Decatur, Georgia

Favorite Memories: I went parasailing with my dad, brothers and cousin at Myrtle Beach, SC for first time on July 4th in 2007. It was a blast and I want to do it again.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies." - Mother Teresa

Random Facts: I received a 2011 Rookie of the Year award for Track. I am good at knitting scarves and collect postcards.

Organizations: Jr. NAD (1) Diversity Club (1) Class Treasurer (1) Peer Advisor (1) Eagle Zone (1)

Others: Fall Play (1) Spring Play (2)



## Alice Jones

Hometown: Greenbelt, Maryland

Favorite Memories: I can't name one because I have too many favorite memories.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Just go with the flow."

Random Facts: I can smell far.

I love the color green.

Others: Fall Play (1) Winter Dance (1)  
Spring Play (3)

## Tateiana LaGuerre

Hometown: Trenton, New Jersey

Favorite Memories: Too many to mention but I cherish every one of these memories.

Favorite saying/quotes: "A good life is when you smile often, dream big, laugh a lot, and realize how blessed you are for what you have." - Unknown

Random Facts: I have 7 siblings by 3 different mothers. I'm only one has blue eyes in my family.

Organizations: SBG

Sports: Volleyball (3) Soccer (2) Basketball (4)  
Softball (2) Track & Field (3)



## Kyle Lauderbaugh

Hometown: Lino Lake, Minnesota

Favorite Memories: Meeting Jordin Sellen and then asking her out by writing in the sand at Rehoboth Beach.

Favorite saying/quotes: "LANGUAGE!" - Mr. Daze

Random Facts: I've played on a badminton team.  
I have 20 dogs.

Organizations: SBG (1)

Sports: Football (3) Basketball (3) Baseball (3)



## Glo-Marie Lennon

Hometown: Clinton, Maryland

Favorite Memories: My family and I went to Jamaica because it is where my other family are from. I love going to the beach where the water are so blue like the sky!

Favorite saying/quotes: "Follow your dreams, just make sure you have fun too." - Chris Brown

Random Facts: I have 2 brothers. I love money!

Organizations: Peer Advisor

Sports: Soccer (2) Track & Field (2)

Others: Winter Dance (1)



## Christian Maldonado

Hometown: Queens, New York

Favorite saying/quotes: "If you are the real one: show who you are."

Others: Winter Dance



## David Mayes



Hometown: Rochester, New York

Favorite Memories: Going to France for a school trip, spending time with my friends, and of course, coming to MSSD.

Favorite saying/quotes: "What is once well done is done forever." - Henry David Thoreau

Random Facts: It's impossible for me to sleep past 9 am. I hate Subway, and I think that the Broadway shows are the best things ever.

Organizations: Academic Bowl (1)

Sports: Volleyball (1) Basketball (1)

## Cristhian Medrano



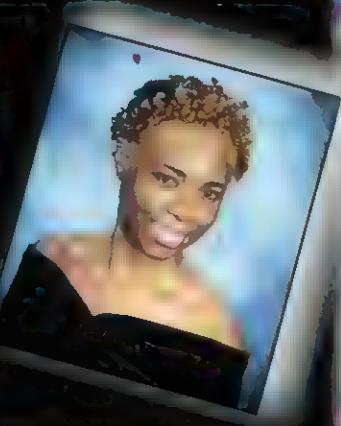
Hometown: Silver Spring, Maryland

Favorite Memories: My best friends are the coolest and we had lots of fun at Kings Dominion.

Random Facts: I am always quiet, and I love Apple Inc.

Sports: Rugby (2)

## Shakema Nanco



Hometown: Queens, New York

Favorite Memories: Rahselta and Denise played a lot of videos on camera with me at the dorm in my 3rd year at MSSD. Later, Gabby joined us.

Favorite saying/quotes: "You only live once, stay strong, be positive, and I love my haters. "Evil laughter" Don't give up, you can do it."

Random Facts: I am an expert at braiding hairs. I laugh at everything.

Organizations: Jr. NAD

Sports: Volleyball (3) Cheerleading (3) Track & Field (3)

Others: Winter Dance (1)

## Stephen Oliveira



Hometown: South River, New Jersey

Favorite Memories: All the good times with the pranks at the dorm.

Favorite saying/quotes: Unknown

Random Facts: I collect old fashion baseball cards and football cards. I also collect \$2 and \$100 bills.



## Rebecca Olson

Hometown: Tower City, North Dakota

Favorite Memories: Pulling pranks on my roommates.

Favorite saying/quotes: "HAKUNA MATATA: No worries for the rest of your days." -The Lion King

Random Facts: I'm a dirtbike rider, I love pizza, and I played the piano for 8 years.

Sports: Soccer (1) Softball (1)

Others: Winter Dance (1)



## Marcus Pointer

Hometown: Fort Washington, Maryland

Favorite Memories: When I had scored the game winning lay-up against MSD during my sophomore year.

Favorite saying/quotes: "If there is no struggle, there is no progress." -Frederick Douglass

Random Facts: I really like pizza, it's my favorite food. I love old school hip-hop.

Organizations: Class Officer (1)

Sports: Football (2) Basketball (4) Rugby (4)



## Yarimar Rivera

Hometown: San Juan, Puerto Rico

Favorite Memories: When I finally met a giraffe and fed it, I was the happiest girl in the world.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Be your own kind of beautiful."

Random Facts: I tweeze my eyebrows almost everyday.

Sports: Track & Field (1)

Others: Fall Play (2)



## Justin Rutledge

Hometown: Baltimore, Maryland

Favorite Memories: Winning the Deaf Wrestling tournament 2 years in a row.

Favorite saying/quotes: "The problem with quotes on the Internet is that it is hard to verify their authenticity"

-Abraham Lincoln

Random Facts: I can do the ABC. TM81 is my favorite.

Organizations: SBG, Jr. NAD, Peer Advisor, Eagle Zone

Sports: Football (4) Basketball (1) Wrestling (3)

Rugby (2)



## Eric Sarnouski



Hometown: Rahway, New Jersey

Favorite Memories: Chatting with friends, joking, and talking about cats!

Favorite saying/quotes: "You only get one shot. Do not miss your chance to blow it. This opportunity comes once in a lifetime." -Eminem

Random Facts: I am catboy because I love cats so much which everyone called me Ericat. I am adopted from Russia.



## Amanda Sauerland

Hometown: New York City, New York

Favorite Memories: My whole 4 years at MSSD. There are a lot of virtuous memories and it's hard to pick one!

Favorite saying/quotes: Life is short, enjoy each of moment and live it UP!

Random Facts: I have Heterochromia. I am Miss MSSD 2014. Pizza is my world!

Organizations: Peer Advisor (2) Movie Production (4) Prom Committee (1) Senior Committee (1)

Sports: Fall Play (3) Manager for Boys Basketball (1) Manager for Softball (2)



## Derika Saunders

Hometown: Washington, DC

Favorite Memories: Hanging around with my friends and go ice skating.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Finally you put my love on TOP." -Beyonce

Sports: Cheerleading (3) Soccer (1) Softball (2)



## Juan Sosa

Hometown: New York City, New York

Favorite Memories: During the 2012-2013 basketball season, my team won all home games!

Favorite saying/quotes: "Life is precious."

Random Facts: I am too obsessed about my future about where I can open the door of my path.

Sports: Soccer (2) Basketball (2) Baseball (2) Track & Field (2)

## Nino Taylor

Hometown: Tampa, Florida

Favorite saying/quotes: "I am not worrying about nothing."

Sports: Football, Wrestling, Track & Field and Rugby



## Olatunde Thom

Hometown: Virginia Beach, Virginia

Favorite Memories: My favorite memories from 2012 to 2015.

Favorite saying/quotes: "A weirdo but I am real though and just love myself."

Random Facts: I always smile and laugh for no reason. I hate chocolate candy but I drink hot chocolate and eat chocolate ice cream.

Sports: Football (2) Soccer (2) Basketball (3)  
Wrestling (1) Rugby (3)



## Shannon Thornhill

Hometown: Fairfax, Virginia

Favorite Memories: I had an ICE fight with my roomies during my sophomore year.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Sometimes you've gotta fall before you fly."

Random Facts: I like to eat pig tail and I used to be a ballerina.

Organizations: Jr. NAD, Peer Advisor (1)

Sports: Soccer (2) Basketball (2)

Others: Fall Play (1) Winter Dance (1) Spring Play (3)



## Sachin Tyner

Hometown: Leverette, Massachusetts

Favorite Memories: I cherish my time with the wrestling team at MSSD. They are the best EAGLES wrestlers.

Favorite saying/quotes: "Nothing is permanent in this wicked world- not even our troubles."

-Charles Chaplin

Sports: Wrestling (3) Baseball (4)



## Greta Wolcott

Hometown: Bailey, Colorado

Favorite Memories: Every memories with my loved ones are my favorite memories.

Favorite saying/quotes: "I spent 1,391 days of my life for a paper and a handshake."

Random Facts: I'm allergic to guacamole but I still eat it. I like to mix random stuff in my food. I used to always want braces because I thought they would look cute on me.

Organizations: SBG (1)

Sports: Soccer (3) Softball (3)

Others: Dance (1)



## Class Officers



Julian Blackwell  
President



Cheyenne Jim Hawing  
Vice-President



Marcus Pointer  
Secretary



Michaela Bonzel  
Treasurer

# Do You Remember When....





Who is the most  
artistic?



Who is the most  
athletic?



Who has the  
best smile?

# Senior Superlatives

Who is the



Who has the most  
MSSD Spirit?



Who is the  
most  
studious?

Let's find out...





### Most Likely to be Caught Taking Selfies.

Alice Jones & Justin Rutledge



### Most Creative

Eric Sarnouski & Amanda Sauerland



### Best Personality

Dax Courtright & Katelyn Graves



### Most Artistic

Ariana Eldred & Christian Maldonado



### Best Secret Keepers.

Justyce Abbott & Antonio Jackson

### Class Clowns.

Dulce Avina Ochoa & Olatunde Thom



### Most Likely to be on Their Smartphone.

Gabriela Cevallos & Stephen Oliveira



### Most Eccentric

Manuel Cortez & Markea Howard



**Most Social**

Rebecca Olson



**Most Involved with School Activities.**

Glo-Marie Lennon & Greta Wolcott



**Nicest**

Shakema Nanco  
& Juan Sosa



**Most Likely to become Famous.**

LePraun Harris & Derika Saunders



**Most Quiet**

Dimante Brooks



**Best All Around**

Michaela Borstel & Tristan Hower



**Most MSSD Spirit**

Ju'wan Blackwell & Shannon Thornhill



**Best Eyes**

Brandon Holst & Tateiana LaGuerre



**Most Likely to be Caught Looking in a Mirror.**

Kassandra Aveiga



**Best Smile**

Johanna Cruz & Yarimar Rivera



**Most Likely to Fall Asleep, in Class.**

Nino Taylor



**Most Changed since Freshman Year.**

Sonya Jillella & Cristhian Medrano



**Most Fashionable**

Juanita Brown & Marcus Pointer



**Most Athletic**

Kelli Jane Barnes & Kyle Lauderbaugh



**Most Inseparable Friends**

Matthew Denis & Josselin Hubert-Garcia



**Most Talkative**

Megan Fichtner



**Never Gets Caught**

Jackelin Choque & Sachin Tyner



**Most Studious**

Rebecca Dorzback & Chang Jun Hwang



# Administration



**Principal**  
*Mindi Failing*



**Assistant Principal**  
*Jessica Sandle*



**Student Enrichment Manager**  
*George Boyd*



**Boys Residence Education Manager**  
*Justen Burns*



**Athletic Director**  
*John Castrese*



**Girls Residence Education Manager**  
*Jennie Sivak*



**Student Activities Manager**  
*Luis Torres*



**Educational Planning and Support Manager**  
*Myra Yanke*

# Teachers and Staff



Patrick Atuonah  
Support Specialist



Jeffrey Barnette  
Science Teacher



Fred Beam  
Math Teacher



Marianne Belsky  
Instructional Support



Billy Carter  
Residential Educator



Jonathan Cetrano  
English Teacher



Genie Chisholm  
Support Services



Clinton Church  
Residential Educator



Travis Clevenger  
Counselor



David Day  
Social Studies Teacher



Joan Day  
Residential Educator



Michel Daze  
Social Studies Teacher



Jesus Delgado  
Residential Educator



Steven Doleac  
GM/FE Coordinator



Jane Doyle  
Speech/Lang Pathologist



Venita Dzime-Assison  
Audiologist



Mary Edwards  
IEP Specialist



James Gardne  
P.E Teacher



Ida Gerald  
Executive Secretary



Sean Gill  
Residential Educator



Shirley Hampton  
Studet Enhancement  
Educator



Ena Harrison  
Residential Educator



Lauralynn Helms-Salit  
Operations Coordinator



Michael Hollywood  
Social Studies Teacher



Lori Hower  
Residential Educator  
Assistant



William Jennison  
Math Teacher



Baranda Johnson  
Residential Educator



Karina Johnson  
Residential Educator



Craig Joseph  
Math Teacher



Erin Land  
Residential Educator

# Teachers and Staff

					
Ricardo Lopez Librarian	Joshua Lothridge English Teacher	Travis Macfadden Residential Educator	Daniel Maier Math Teacher	Amy Malone-Spicer English Teacher	Vera Masters Residential Educator
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Sharon Matthews Math Teacher	Helen McClarin Residential Night Assistant	Kevin McLeod Residential Night Assistant	Kitty Monahan Sewell Counselor	Lisa Montalvo Counselor	Maria Montes Residential Night Assistant
					
Tayyabah Naeem Science Teacher	Jennifer Nasukiewicz English Teacher	Jill Naumann Educational Technology Teacher	Ayuk Ogork Residential Educator	Marsha Opauski IEP Coordinator	Rachel Parker Student Enhancement Educator
					
Robert Parkinson Math Teacher	Christine Parrotte Art Teacher	Darrell Pfaff Residential Night Supervisor	Maria Phipps Math Teacher	Abiodun Ramroop Science Teacher	Yolanta Rozynek Performing Arts Specialist
					
Charles Rubisch Residential Night Assistant	Emily Schreiner Science Teacher	Ursula Schultz Student Support Specialist	Mae Sellers Residential Educator	Mary Ann Seremeth Deaf Studies Teacher	Christopher Sewell Student Enhancement Educator

# Teachers and Staff



Dale Shepard  
Residential Educator



Melissa Shumate  
Educational Planner



John Spinosi  
Residential Educator  
Assistant



Sara Stallard  
English Teacher



Rebecca Stevener  
Speech/Lang. Pathologist



Jesse Thomas  
Social Studies Teacher



John Thuahnai  
Science Teacher



Nancy Walla  
ASL Teacher



David Warr  
English Teacher



Georgia Weaver  
Social Worker

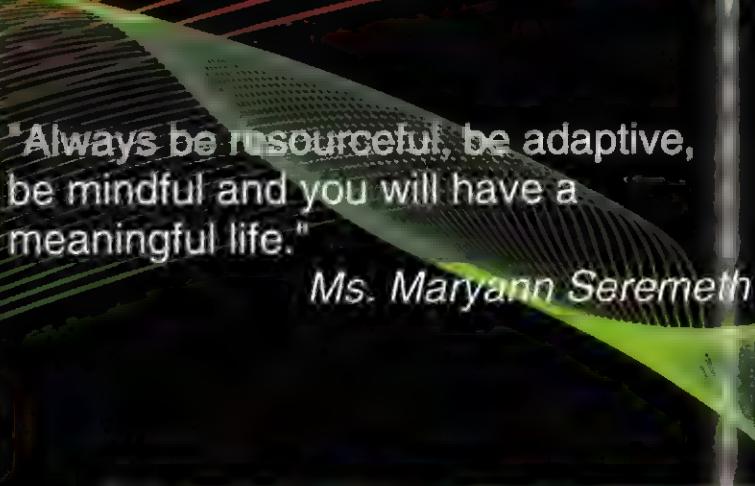


Robert Whitaker  
School Psychologist



Tyese Wright  
Transition Specialist

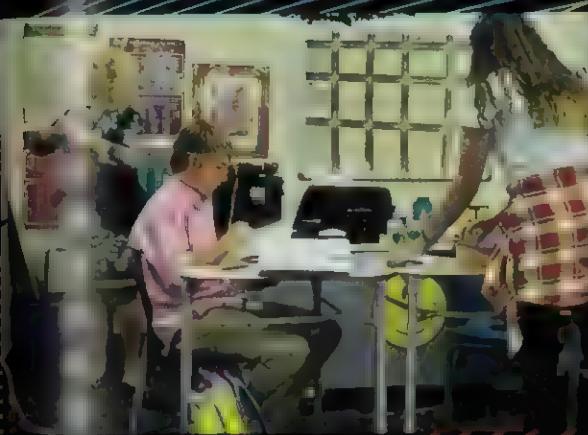
## Advice for Class of 2015....



"Show up, be on time, pay your bills on time, work hard, play hard and be nice to people. You will attract more flies with honey than with vinegar."

Mr. Jesse Thomas





"At the end of this day, you are the one who'll be spending the next four years in college or working independently. Don't worry so much about rankings; instead, try to figure out where you see yourself being happy, comfortable, finding success, and enjoying the most out of your college or work experience. Be patient with time and you'll find your answer."

*Mr. Jeffrey Barnette*



"Get something in your head. No one can take it from YOU!"

*Mr. Fred Beam*

Embrace learning  
Excel in all academic areas  
Do not judge other people  
Do not try to please everyone  
Do not draw negative attention  
Have faith in yourself  
Get involved in various extracurricular activities  
Learn to communicate effectively with others  
Have respect for authority  
Create a set of goals  
Stay in good health  
Make friends  
Respect other people's perspectives  
Stay in touch with your loved ones  
Be PROUD of MSSD :)

*Ms. Amy Malone-Spicer*



"Put your future in good hands, which are your own. You are the only person that can control your future so please make good decisions and work hard then you will have a great future."

*Ms. Mindi Failing*



Philip Adeyeye



Denise Almanzar



Tiffany Anderson



Malita Bailey



Darissa Bashaw



Taja Bedell



Rodney Burford



Audrey Caseiro



Perla Cerritos



Julia Constantopoulos



Khyaire Corley



Gabriel DeOliveira



Isabelle Diaz



Donte Dos Santos



Isaiah Flim



Zachrey Gill



Donovan Ham



Malek Herrin



Laila Intsone



Kaya Jensen



Arianne Levenson



Niko Lutes-Stein



Lynicia Blossom Maynard



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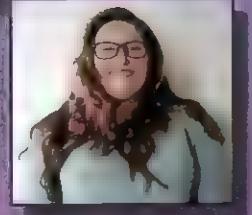
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(Planning)



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Secretary



**Markea Howard**

My yearbook position is Co-Editor. I check all the yearbook pages to make sure everything looks good. We usually have a staff meeting on every Friday to share our idea. I work closely with Co-Editor and Photo Editor. Being a part of Yearbook is a great experience! I truly enjoy working with 2015 yearbook staff.



**Gabriela Cevallos**

My position is Photo Editor. I make sure that there are photographers for every events and games. I communicate with Student Life staff and team managers. Sometime it is not easy to work with my yearbook staff but it is a great experience!



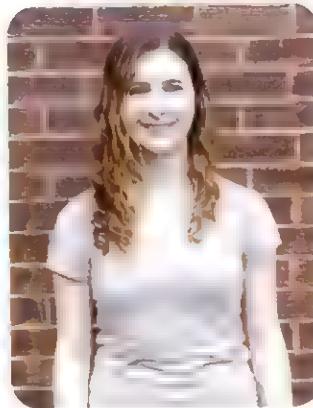
**Olatunde Thom**

My position is Sport Co-Editor. I focus only on sports. I am always on the lookout for great pictures of athletes and put them on the page. I love talking with yearbook staff about everything related to yearbook.



**Sabrina Rippey**

My yearbook position is as co-editor working alongside Markea. work on some individual pages, help with feedback, and do final edits on any writing. I think the 2014-2015 yearbook is definitely one of the best as it follows through with its theme on every page. It has been an amazing experience working with the other yearbook staff, and I wish the best to next year's staff as well!



**Amanda Sauerland**

My position is Student Life Editor. My responsibility is to take picture of all student life events, and design the layers that are student life events. What I like about this yearbook experience, I enjoy seeing some hilarious pictures. It has made my day!



**Anna Beth Reed**

My position is Sport Co-Editor. I make sure that I include every athlete pictures and names in their respective sport. I make sure to put nice pictures for sports. I really do enjoy working on the yearbook and with my yearbook team!





**Julia Constantopoulos**

My yearbook position is People Co-Editor. My primary focus is on Senior and making sure that all the information about them are collected and put in the yearbook. It is a challenge but we got it done! I enjoy working with the yearbook team and sharing my ideas with them.

**Dulce Avina-Ochoa**

My yearbook position is Organizations and Activities Editor. My job is to collect information such as who are the officers for each organizations like Jr. NAD, SBG and others. I also make sure that we have pictures of the officers and activities in their organizations.



**Azahri Rilley**

My position is People Co-Editor. My primary focus is on freshman to juniors. I make sure their portraits are in the yearbook with their names. I also work with teachers and staff portraits. I do really enjoy taking picture of people and work on the designs of the pages.



**Jill Naumann**

My role in 2015 Yearbook is Co-Advisor. I assist the staff in planning, writing, designing and photographing. I proofread the yearbook to be sure that all the information is correct and looks good! I enjoy working with 2015 Yearbook staff even when we are approaching deadlines!

**Christine Parrotte**

My role in 2015 Yearbook is Co-Advisor. I assist the staff in planning, designing and photographing. I also help the staff with the 2015 yearbook cover design. I enjoy working with the staff by making their designs into a reality in their work.



# Student Body



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**Matthew Denis**  
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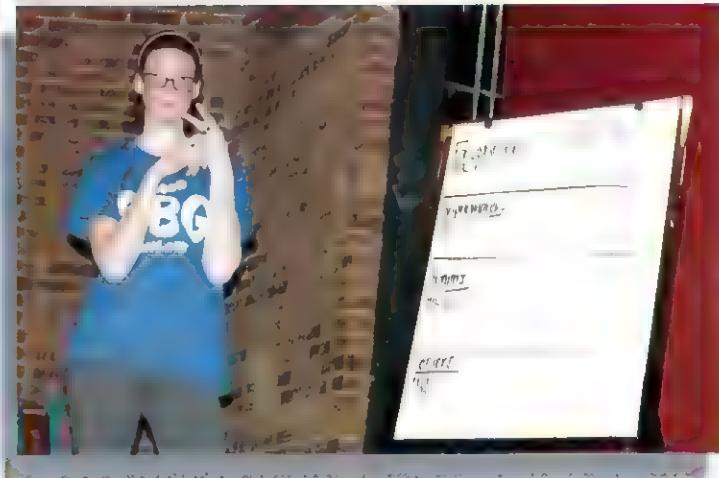
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Community Relations





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Symansky  
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# Fall Play

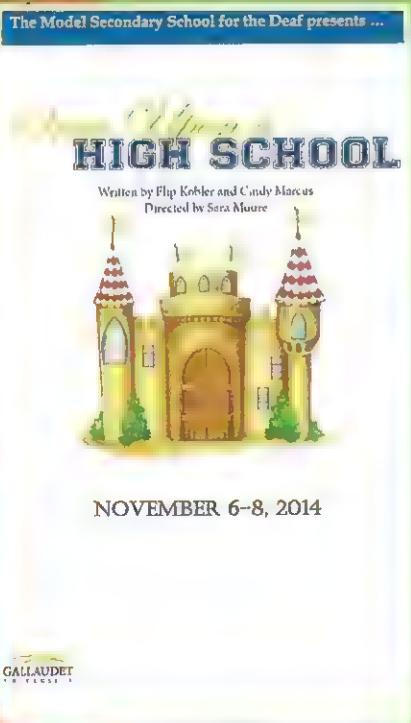
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Ryan Horner, Arielle McCarthy,  
Selena Alvarez, Amanda Sauerland,  
Markea Howard, Rahsheita Sweeney,  
Ena Harrison, Cameron Symansky,  
Travis Mactadden, Kyle Smith-Steizer,  
Malvana Ramborger, Jocelyn Fuller,  
Max Steizer, Jalena Cochran,  
Yarimar Rivera, Oscar Zayas,  
Julia Constantopoulos,  
Tommy Fernandes, Aleena Nicoloro,  
Jesus Briones, Darissa Bashaw,  
Arianne Levenson, Holly Marschke,  
Lynicia Maynard, Isaiah Flint, and  
Manuel Cortez

## Backstage Crew

Ashley O'Neill, Christian Maldonado  
Kiara Johnson, Denise Almanzar  
LeBraun Harris, Heather Bodine  
Daniel Ramos Rodriguez  
Stephen Oliveira, Karla Ortiz  
Valentina Castillo Pereyra, and  
Antonio Jackson





*Producer:*  
**Yola Rozynek**

*Director:*  
**Sara Moore**

*Assistant Director:*  
**Selena Alvarez**

*Lighting Designer:*  
**Stephan Johnson**

*Set Designer:*  
**Xian Huang**

*ASL Coaches:*  
**Ricardo Lopez and**  
**Sara Moore**



# Project Advisors



**Back Row, L-R:** Donte Dos Santos, Justin Rutledge, Chang Jun Hwang, Ju'wan Blackwell

**Front Row, L-R:** Sponsor Travis Macfadden, Michaela Borstel, Glo-Marie Lennon, Sonya Jillella, Amanda Sauerland, Isabelle Tropp, Oscar Zayas and Sponsor Karina Johnson



# Eagle Zone



Left to Right: Media Howard Chenzano, Jason MacLeod, Tonya Weller, Brandon Hall, Dylan Saylor, Chang Jun Hwang and Sponsor Shirley Hampton





## MSSD EAGLES FOOTBALL

**Back Row, L to R:** Assistant Coach Michel Daze, Assistant Coach Nathan Engel, Assistant Coach Tom Pangia, Head Coach James Gardner

**Middle Row, L to R:** Philip Adeyeye, Chaz Palmer, Wilford Troup, Dmitry Bruhn, Zachrey Gill, Niko Lutes-Stein, Brandon Holst, Ju'wan Blackwell, Rodney Burford, Travis Waddell, Olatunde Thom, Elisha Spinosi

**Front Row, L to R:** Marcus Pointer, Donte Dos Santos, Justin Rutledge, Tristan Hower, Kyle Lauderbaugh and Nsikak Umoren

*The Eagles football team competed in the 8-man classification this year.*



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## MSSO EAGLES VOLLEYBALL

**Back Row, L to R:** Tateiana LaGuerre, Jasmine Casella, Kasmine Burford, Tiffany Anderson, Kelli Jane Barnes, Kari Bingham, Isabella Walker, Danielle Smith  
**Middle Row, L to R:** Head Coach Janna Oshman, Audrey Caserio, Victoria Tingler, Ariana Eldred, Assistant Coach Mollie Sachs  
**Front Row, L to R:** Victoria Moran, Isabelle Diaz and Gabriella Simons



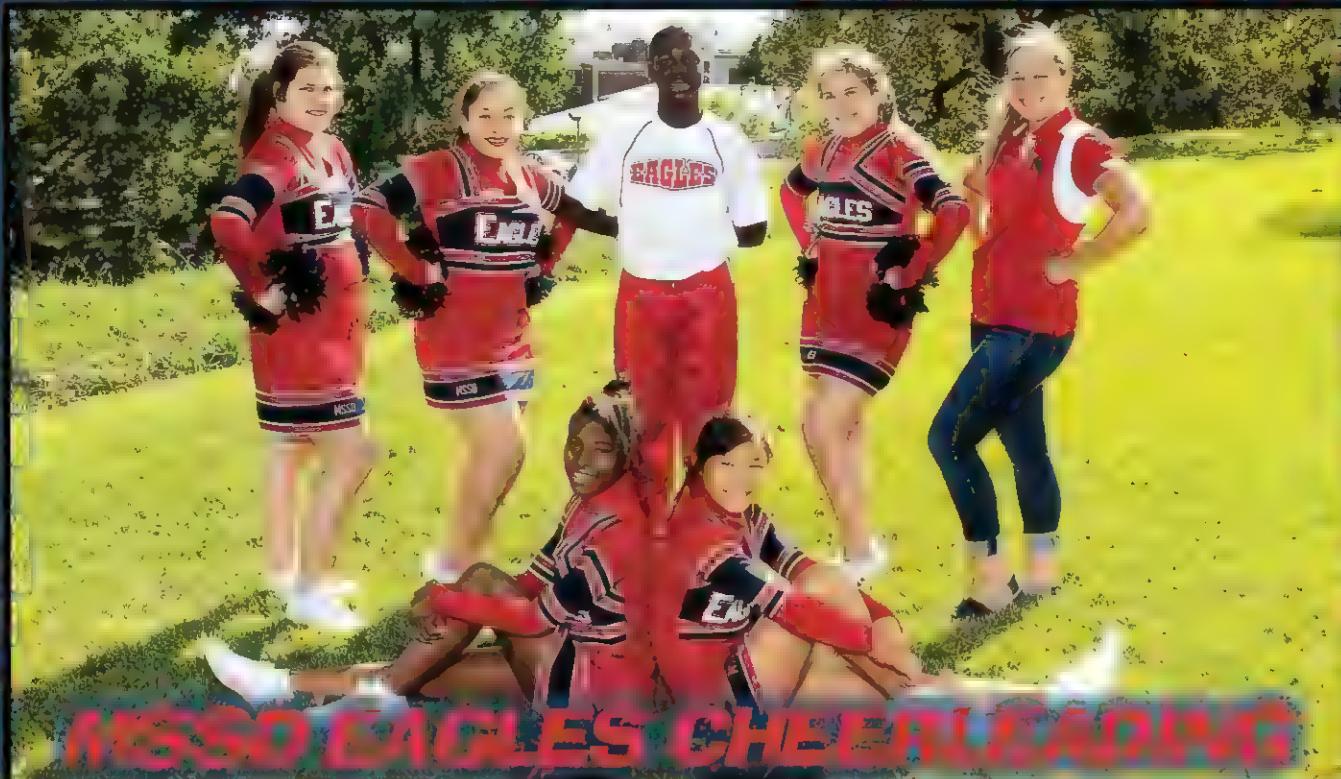


**Back Row, L to R :** Assistant Coach Caitlin Ramsey, Manager Josselin Hubert-Garcia, Glo-Marie Lennon, Taja Bedell, Maryana Cato, Isabelle Troup, Greta Wolcott, Sydney Padgett, Alexandria Rutowski, Shannon Thornhill, Head Coach Emily Schreiner

**Middle Row, L to R:** Sara Kulisan, Justina Wood, Michaela Borstel, Johanna Cruz, Emily Perea

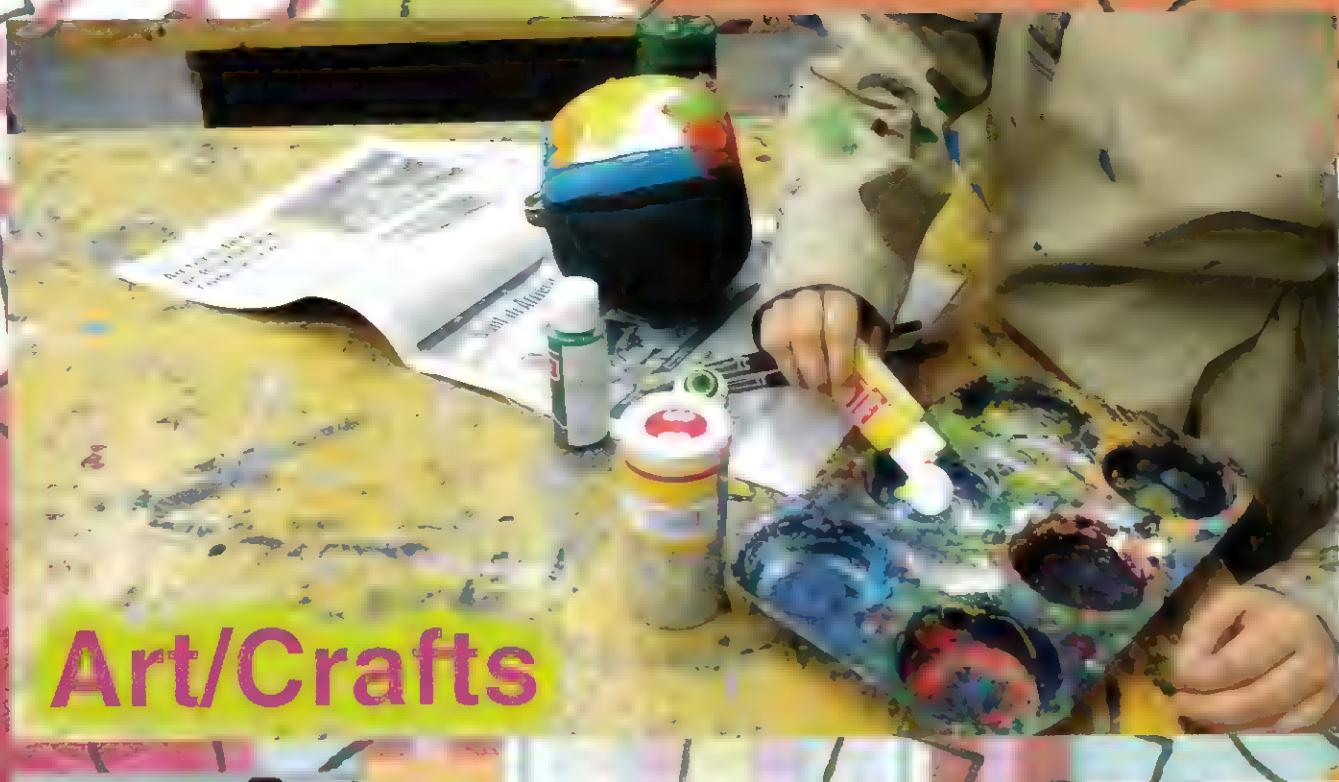
**Front Row, L to R:** Rebecca Olson, Lynicia Maynard, Jordin Sellon and Yolanda Ford





Standing, L to R: Anna Beth Reed, Paola Membereno, Jayshawn Jones,  
Drew-Claire Hundley and Head Coach Celine Daze  
Sitting, L to R: Jemima Kasongo and Maia Swanson





## Art/Crafts



# Fall ASP

After School Program



## Indoor Activities



# HALLOWEEN







# MR. & MISS MSSD



*Ryan Horner &  
Selena Alvarez*





# Winter





# Blast



# ON THE





# BEAT

## Winter Dance Concert







# MSSD EAGLES

## BOYS BASKETBALL



**Back Row, L to R:** Assistant Coach Samuel Weber, Josco Mast, Elias Assefa, Assistant Coach David Farias, Zhencheng Chen, Daniel Ramos Rodriguez, Head Coach Tim Frelich

**Middle Row, L to R:** Gerry Ames, Rodney Burford, Nsikak Umoren, Olatunde Thom, Kyle Lauderbaugh, Marcus Pointer, Wilford Troup and Malu Monigan

**Front Row:** Manager Dylan Saylor



# MSSD EAGLES

## GIRLS BASKETBALL



**Back Row, L to R:** Gabrielle Truman, Isabelle Troup, Kelli Jane Barnes, Tiffany Anderson, Kasmine Burford, Kari Bingham and Ariana Eldred

**Middle Row, L to R:** Manager Alexandria Rutowski, Head Coach Nukeitra Hayes, Assistant Coach Travis Clevenger, Holly Marschke, Gabriella Simons, Sara Kulisan, Tateiana LaGuerre, Victoria Tingler, Victoria Moran, Assistant Coach Jesus Delgado, Manager David Mayes, Manager Isabelle Diaz

**Front Row, L to R:** Rebekah Officer and Danielle Smith



# MSSD EAGLES WRESTLING



**Back Row, L to R:** Assistant Coach Tairbek Tabolov, Tyler Naeyaert, Jesus Briones, Devin Scawthorn, Gabriel DeOliveira, Stephen Oliveira, Tristan Hower, Justin Rutledge and Head Coach Thad Ferguson

**Front Row, L to R:** Sachin Tyner, Elisha Spinosi, Philip Adeyeye, Manager Manuel Cortez, Noah Spinosi, Jorge Wilson, and Bailey Doleac



# MSSD EAGLES CHEERLEADING



**Back Row, L to R:** Head Coach Celine Daze, Audrey Caseiro, Jayshawn Jones, Maia Swanson, Cameron Symansky, Isaiah Flim, Jasmine Casella, Jason Cruz, Arielle McCarthy, and Assisstant Coach Katryna Baldiviez

**Front Row, L to R:** Denise Almanzar, Darissa Bashaw, and Paola Membreno



# Academic Bowl



2015 Gallaudet University  
Southwest Regional  
Academic Bowl Winner



## Meet the Team

Front Row, L-R: Brandon Holst, David Mayes, Tyler Naeyaert,  
Alexander Ratajewski  
Back Row, L-R: Coach William Jennison and Coach Sara Stallard

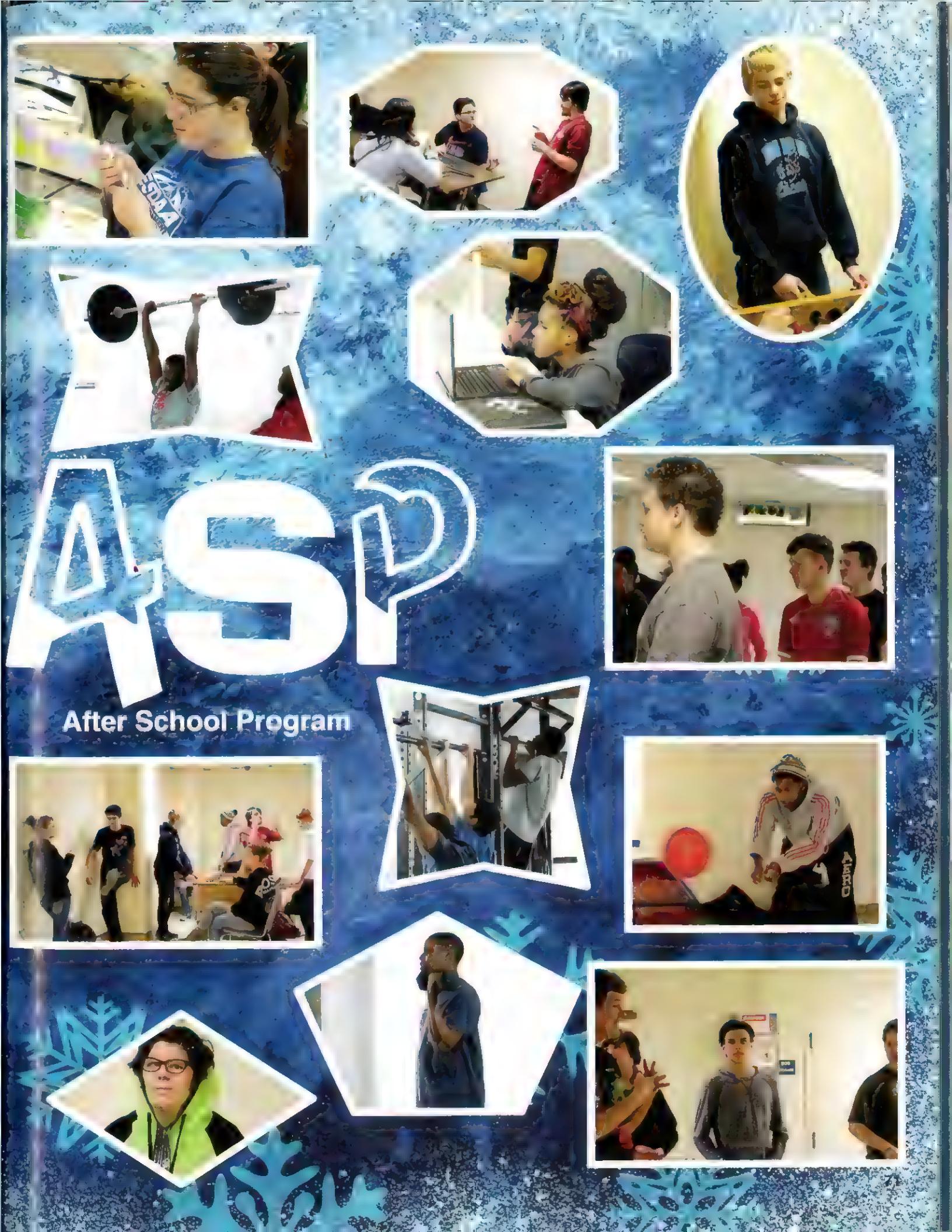


# PEP RAUDY



# Winter





# MSSD Talent Show



The MSSD Talent Show was presented for the first time in history. It was a **HUGE** success! The students enjoyed themselves and it was a great experience.



## The winners are:

1st place - Gabrielle Truman

2nd place - Sara Kulisan and Jasmine Casella

3rd place - Arianne Levenson







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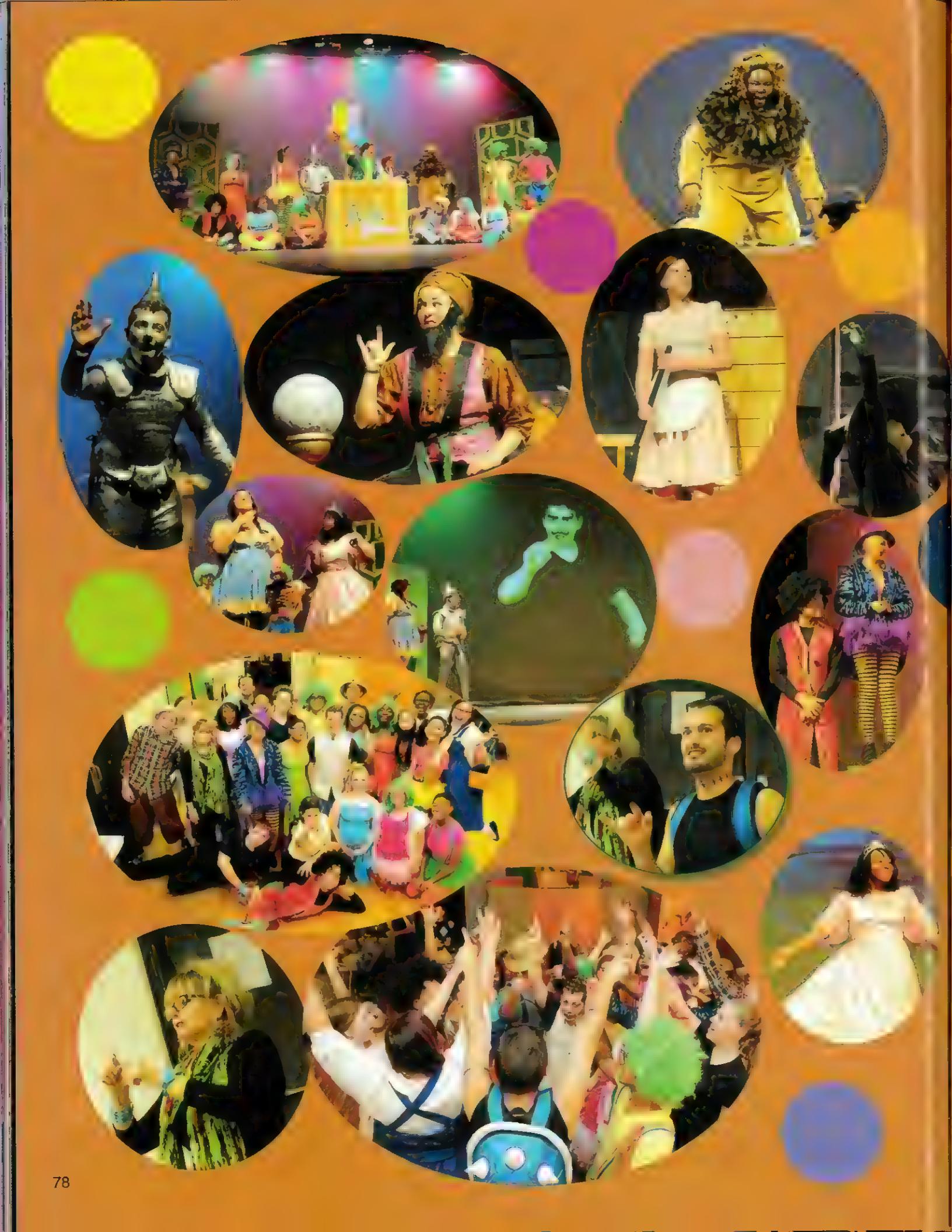


# MGSD Intramurals

## Basketball and Volleyball









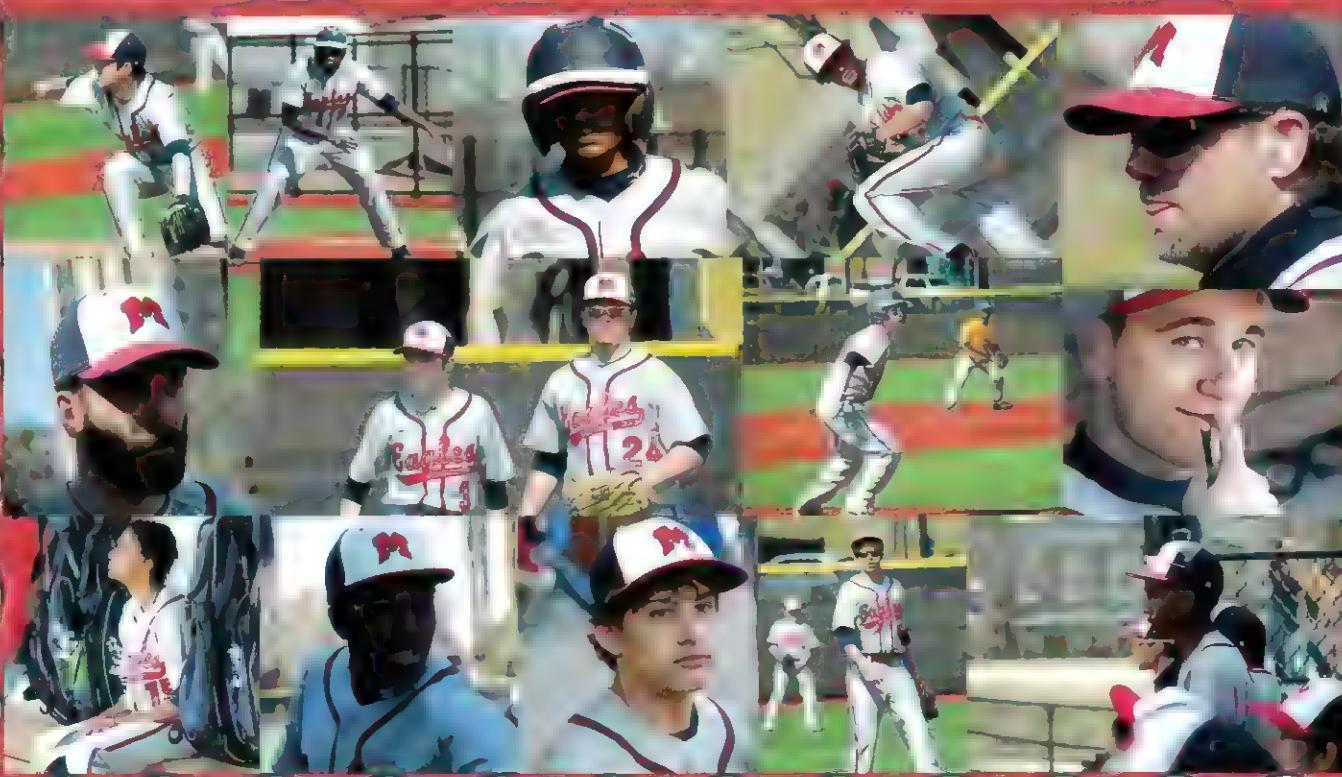
# WIZARD OF OZ



**Back Row, L to R:** Head Coach David Rice, Brennan McDonough, Duke Smith, Arthur Hart, Ethan Ettienne, Juan Sosa, Chang Jun Hwang, Devid Brodsky, and Assistant Coach Justin Weiner

**Front Row, L to R:** Matthew Denis, Sachin Tyner, Elisha Spinosi, Kyle Lauderbaugh, Joshua Smith, Darren Drolsbaugh, Ilan Ben-Moshe, and Manager Tommy Fernandes

## MSSD EAGLES BASEBALL





**Back Row, L to R:** Assistant Coach Jesus Delgado, Rebecca Olson, Denise Almanzar, Isabelle Troup, Isabella Walker, Justina Wood and Assistant Coach Karina Johnson

**Front Row, L to R:** Volunteer Assistant Coach Raquel Grindstaff, Sara Kulisan, Shanelle Walker, Belva Wolcott, Victoria Tingler, Jordyn Sellen, Manager Megan Fichtner and Head Coach Rosemary Adamca-Balzer

## MSSD EAGLES SOFTBALL





**Back Row, L to R:** Volunteer Keshon Johnson, Philip Adeyeye, Judeler Trenard, Zeniko Acosta-Grant, Cristhian Medrano, Malek Herring, and Manager Donovan Ham

**Front Row, L to R:** Coach Jonathan Cetrano, Donte Dos Santos, Wilford Troup, Ju'wan Blackwell, Olatunde Thom, Luis Naranjo, Wilfredo Pacheco, Nino Taylor, Justin Rutledge, Lee Miller, Marcus Pointer, Miguel Barrios, Nsikak Umoren, Travis Waddell, James Trusock III, and Coach Mark Burke

# MSSD EAGLES RUGBY



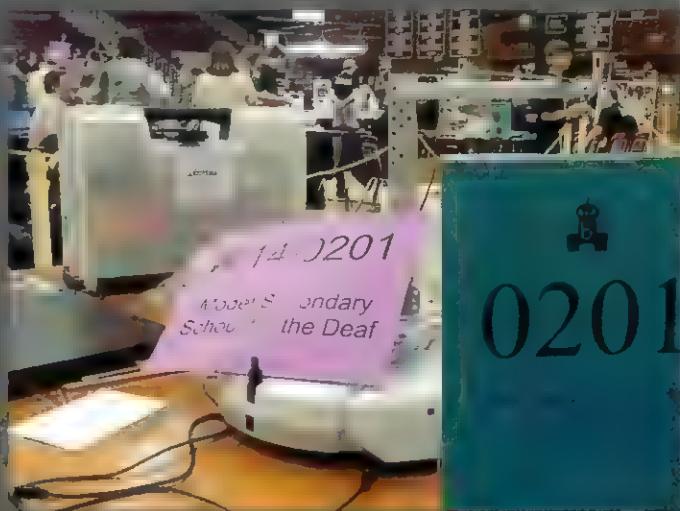


**Back Row, L to R: Danielle Jones and Jackelin Choque**

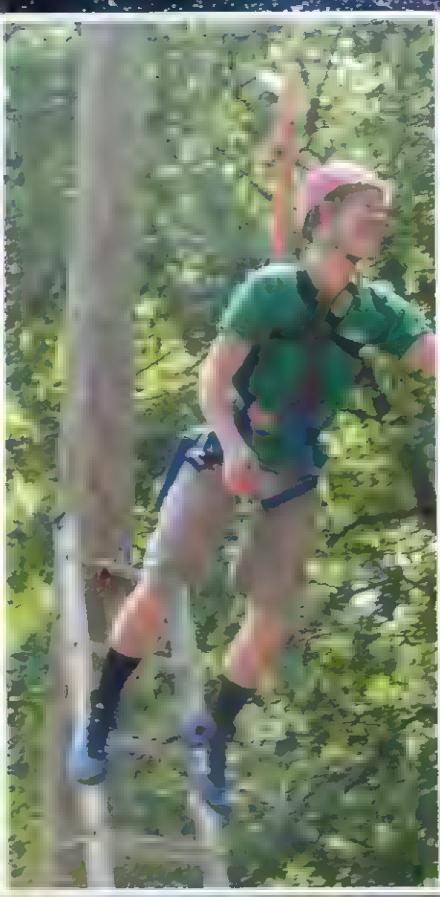
**Front Row, L to R: Assistant Coach Emily Schreiner, Adrianna Miller, Lynicia Maynard, Zachrey Gill, Emily Perea, Head Coach Brian Bennett, Maryana Cato, Valentina Castillo Pereyra, Kaya Jensen and Assistant Coach Brianna Stroud Williams**

# **MSSD EAGLES TRACK AND FIELD**





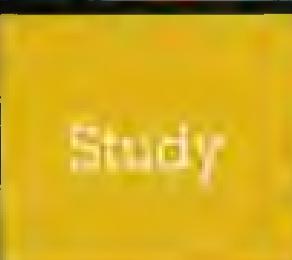
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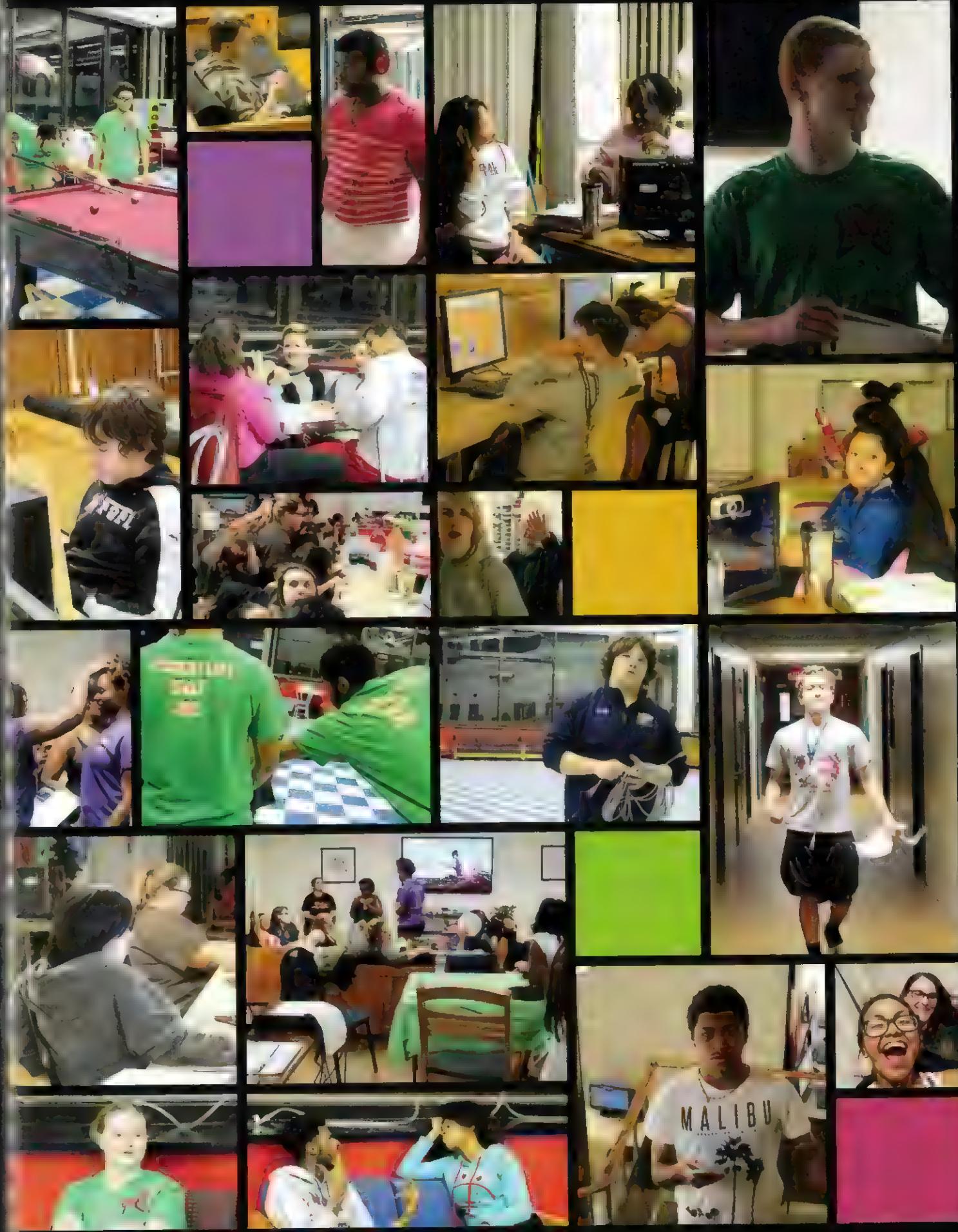


# Space Camp 2014



# Student Life





# Enchantment Under The Sea



Queen Belva Wolcott  
&

King Zachary Bridgett



Prom 2014







# Bloopers!





# 66 SENIOR advice



Don't change who you are  
as a Freshman.



Don't let  
hatred pull  
you down. All  
you need is to  
keep your  
head up and  
know  
everything will  
be alright.



Listen to Mr. Warn.  
I'm warning you.



Don't get in  
big trouble for  
everything.



Whenever you have an opportunity, grab it now so you won't have any regrets later in life.



Be yourself,  
reach for the  
stars, and  
love beyond  
limits.



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# SENIOR

## advice

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You better be  
good at  
school!! :)



Don't hang out with  
people who are  
fake to you.  
And keep it  
**REAL!**



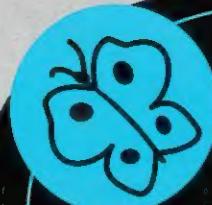
Keepin' it REAL!

2015

Continue to  
participate  
and use all the  
opportunities  
that MSSD  
gives you!



Focus on education.  
Please, don't get Academic  
Probation in high school.  
Be good at school.  
Be smart and use common  
sense.  
Enjoy your life



Be yourself,  
don't be  
someone  
you're not to fit  
in. People will  
love you for  
who you are.

Don't do anything stupid.

Have good time  
management.

Order food when you feel  
stressed.

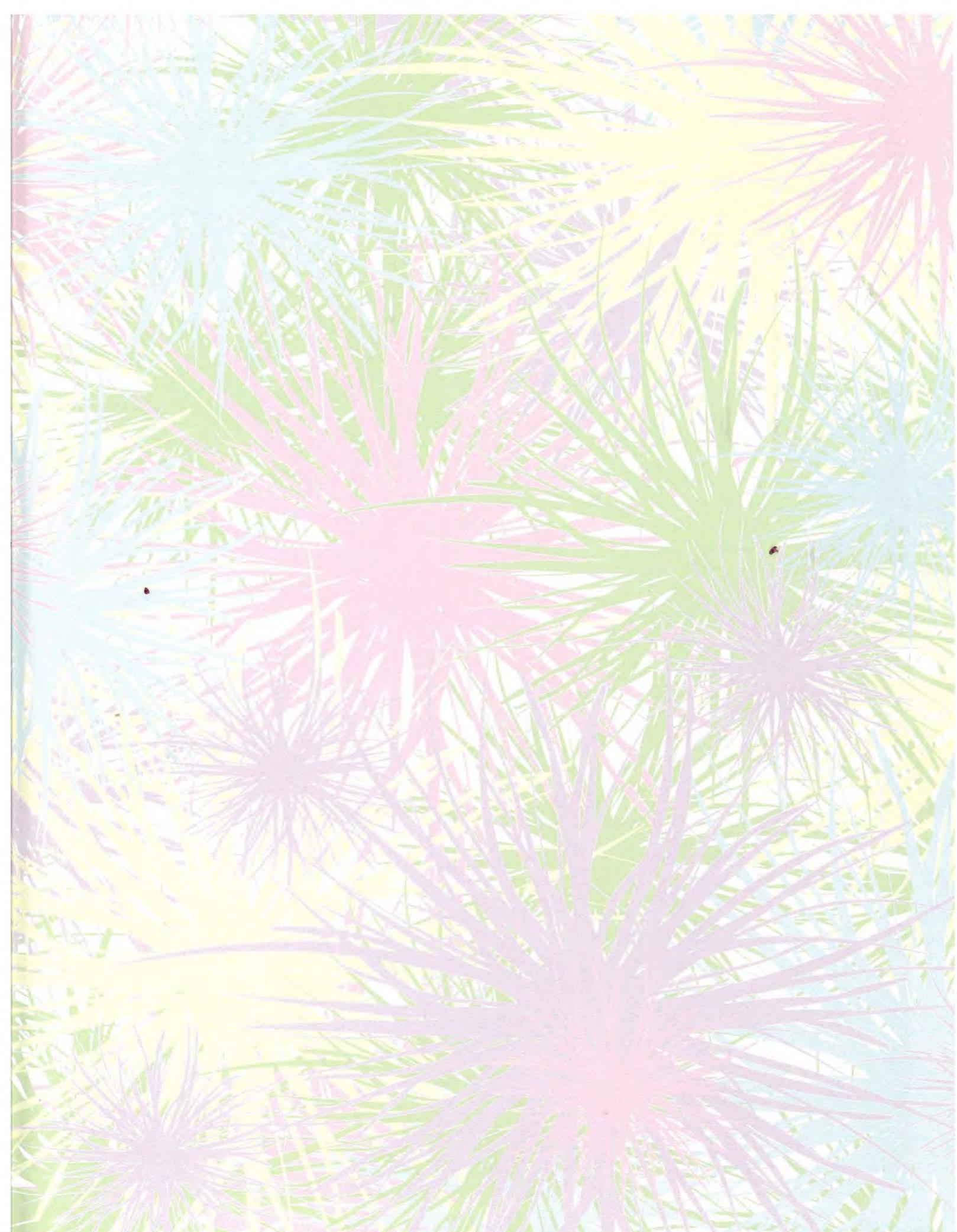
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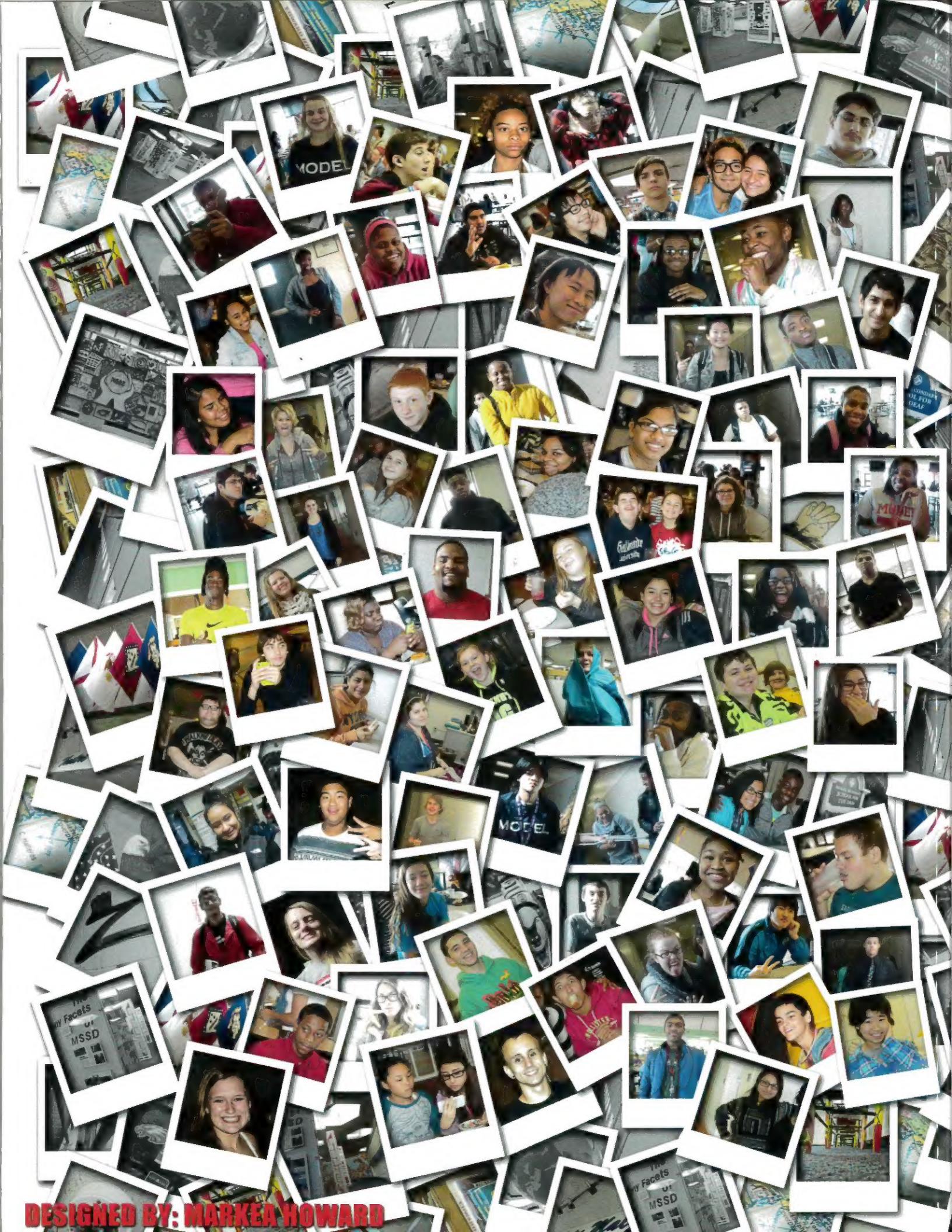


Make the  
best moment  
out of every  
day! But don't  
go over the  
line. Use your  
judgement  
wisely.

Work hard, don't play  
around too much, do your  
work, and don't worry  
about what other people  
are doing around you.  
Worry about yourself.

# CLASS OF 2015's AUTOGRAPHS





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